



COUNCILMEMBER DONNA FRYE

City of San Diego
Sixth District

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 14, 2004

TO: P. Lamont Ewell, City Manager
Casey Gwinn, City Attorney

FROM: Councilmember Donna Frye
Councilmember Toni Atkins
Councilmember Michael Zucchet

Donna Frye
Toni Atkins
Mike

SUBJECT: November 2, 2004 TOT Increase Ballot Measure

We would request that the City Attorney draft a ballot measure for the November 2, 2004 election to raise San Diego's Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) by 2 ½ ¢, temporarily earmarking 1 ¼ ¢ for the Fire Department and 1 ¼ ¢ for the Police Department until such a time that each department's deferred maintenance and funding needs outlined in the public safety action plan are completed. Once deferred maintenance is completed, the allocated funds would become City Council discretionary funds.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Your timely response is greatly appreciated.

cc: Mayor Dick Murphy
City Council

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